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TAYLOR & ARMSTRONG,
NO. 451 MAIN STREET,

HAVE received and opened their fall stock of Furniture and Fancy Goods, and beg to call the attention of the citizens generally, that they are pleased to present to the trade. It is a pure Vegetable Compound, and will cure the most hardened cases--restoring them to health again. The best assortments of New India are to be found in the west; and all goods purchased of them are warranted to their quality and value. To customers that their prices are uniform--no abatements. To give sufficient room, their assortments will take up much space, but the following will give an idea of what their stock consists:

Gents' Linen and Muslin Shirts;

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THE DEMOCRAT.

TUESDAY, :: SEPTEMBER 28, 1852.

OF A WORD TO ADVERTISERS.—All the advertisements appearing in THE DEMOCRAT are transferred to our Evening Edition, and receive a gratuitous insertion there. Thus each patron of the morning paper has the advantage of an evening circulation to a distinct class of readers, free of charge.

River News.

The St. Louis packet, *Fashion*, has left up at Portland on few days account of low water.

Charles Reicher is the name of a new boat nearly completed at St. Louis.

The new Lucy Bertram is nearly finished at St. Louis. She is to run as a regular packet to the Rockwood trade.

The Herman is running as a weekly packet from Paducah to St. Louis.

Capt. Jessie's new Missouri packet, now building at St. Louis, is to be called the *Polar Star*.

Dan Rice's circus boat, *Zachary Taylor*, is in the docks at St. Louis, undergoing repairs.

The Corbett has come out of the docks fully repaired. She will start for Tennessee river in a few days.

The Alabama and Matie Wayne are reported abroad at Tradewater bar.

The *Elizur Chancellor* arrived from New Orleans, on Sunday evening, full of passengers. She discharged 100 packages of assorted merchandise at different ports, besides 13 tons of railroad iron at Evansville. She encountered stormy weather from Vicksburg to Paducah. The officers of the C. report the Mississippi falling all the way up, and the Ohio falling twice to the mouth, with a flood on Tradewater.

The R. H. Lee was sold on Saturday for \$7,000. Capt. E. A. Steele was the purchaser, who designs running her in the Illinois river.

The new steamer Forest City, a neat looking craft in every respect, passed down the river on Sunday, en route for St. Louis. She was built at Pittsburgh.

The new steamer Golden Gate will be at once this morning, and leaves for New Orleans at 10 o'clock. She will be out boat and out, and her accommodations for passage will be to be surpassed.

The Ben Franklin will be down from the mall for a short time, on account of repairs, and the Telegraph No. 2 will not be brought out to the port. The Lady Pike, Capt. Faier, takes the place of the Ben Franklin today, and the new Pike will take the place of the G. W. Sparhawk to-morrow. The Pike was expected down last night. The Lady Franklin, Capt. Tucker, and the Jane Franklin, Capt. Benedict, will form the evening line.

Joseph Thompson is again acting as mail agent on the Ben Franklin, but will transfer his quarters to day to the Lady Pike. We are constantly indebted to Mr. T. for his attention to this office, and he can, therefore, consider himself thanked for the season.

We are indebted to Mr. Denny, of the packet steamer John Simpson for late St. Louis papers.

The Old Fellows of this city have a grand celebration on the 15th of October.

The funeral of James Slack, on Sunday, was the largest that has taken place in this city for many years.

A project for the erection of a new hotel is soon to be Lexington.

The Treasurer of Huntington county, Pa., was robbed of \$3,000 on Thursday night last.

There was another light fall of frost in the vicinity of this city yesterday morning.

Several persons in Cincinnati are making preparations to leave for the fair-stand of Australia.

Hon. Thomas H. Benton and Hon. John J. Crittenden arrived in this city, yesterday morning, on the mail boat. They are en route for their homes.

A large number of articles from this city will be exhibited at the Bourbon county Agricultural Fair, which commences to-day.

Lecount, sentenced to be hung for murder, will be executed in Cincinnati on Friday, the 28th of November.

Patrick Hally, in a moment of desperation, committed suicide in Cincinnati, on Saturday, by cutting his throat.

The German Turner's Society of this city, went up to Cincinnati to attend the grand banquet of the turners in that city, which was to have taken place yesterday.

Drury Taber, who was sentenced to the penitentiary for five years, at the last term of the Jefferson criminal court, has been pardoned by his Excellency, Gov. Powell.

A chap named Wm. Gilly, who was employed as treasurer at the Fitchell hotel was held at Mozart Hall last week, has absconded, taking with him all the money which he received for tickets.

Mr. A. S. Miller, a contractor engaged on the foundation of the new railroad depot at Cincinnati, was entirely bilked on Saturday, by being cheated out of a train and some passenger cars that were standing on the track.

The business of our sister city, Jeffersonville, is rapidly increasing. The Spirit of Progress says that new business houses are opening every week, new houses for business are being built, and the demand for more houses of every description daily increases. In fact, everything augurs a rapid increase in the growth of Jeff. ville.

ERRORS.—The Cleveland Plain Dealer advises us to be on the alert for bills of the Ohio State Bank, which are issued in individual name while laboring under the erroneous impression that he was president, cashier, etc. The engraving, which resembles lithography very much, is poorly executed, and will not bear that infallible test—a close scrutiny.

CONTRACTION.—Mr. Lorenz, of Buffalo, N. Y., called upon us, yesterday, to say that there is no truth in the paragraph which has been going the rounds of the papers stating that W. L. G. Smith, author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin as It Is," is said to be the son of death. Mr. Lorenz is an intimate friend of Mr. Smith, and he assures us that it was an excellent health when he left Buffalo on Thursday last.

INDUSTRY, WATCHMENES, AND ENTERPRISE.—The Courier of yesterday had an item about the arrest of a horse thief in Boston, Kentucky, who stole a horse from a Mr. Lowry, at the democratic barracks in this city. The paragraph is incorrect as every reader of the Courier in this state will know. The man, whom we named Smith, was walking carelessly near his horse, and did not discover the thief until one of the wheels had passed nearly over his body. He instantly checked the horse, but the poor ill-fated fellow was so severely injured that he died in a few minutes. The father, upon hearing of the distressing accident, became frantic with rage, and made a desperate attempt to kill Smith, but was restrained. Coroner C. Green held an inquest on the body of the child, verdict in accordance with the above facts.

Sad Accident.—On Sunday afternoon, a little boy about 18 months old, son of Mr. Tevlin, a merchant in this city, was riding on Main street, nearly opposite the Gen. House, when he was overtaken by a loaded wagon and instantly killed. The driver of the team, a man named Smith, was walking carelessly near his horse, and did not discover the thief until one of the wheels had passed nearly over his body. He instantly checked the horse, but the poor ill-fated fellow was so severely injured that he died in a few minutes. The father, upon hearing of the distressing accident, became frantic with rage, and made a desperate attempt to kill Smith, but was restrained. Coroner C. Green held an inquest on the body of the child, verdict in accordance with the above facts.

Messrs. Oliver & Kiffin are in the receipt of still more new and beautiful goods. Every gentleman desirous of replenishing his wardrobe, and who wishes a suit of the finest goods made in the best style, should by all means look to the stock of this house.

The rates of tobacco in this city, up to the present time this season, amount to twenty one thousand seven hundred and seventy-five thousand.

O Saturday last, as the steamer Hartford was descending the river, a lad fell overboard with his clothes and boots on. He couldn't swim, but the current kept him up until he was saved by the yawl getting to him. He was some time in the water, and the passengers thought it a miracle he didn't sink. After he was saved his mamma was going to whip him because he had lost one of his boots.

Official Vote of North Carolina.—The result of the late gubernatorial election in North Carolina has been officially proclaimed. Reid, dem., received 48,484 votes, and Kerr, the whig, 42,491. The vote for Governor, in 1850, stood—Reid, dem., 44,845; Manly, whig, 42,071—Reid's majority, 2774.

DEMOCRATIC MEETINGS.



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A meeting for consultation on important business will be held at the Democrat of the projected Railroad from Danville to Minnie. The consequence is, that but little's active interest has been manifested in regard to the Presidential election, and we have had but little extra political master except Mr. Greeley's pictorial life of Gen. Scott, which has been distributed in the country in numbers more numerous than the causes which infested the land of Pharaoh. Its appearances are not deceptive, and they are frequently trait, issuing from the great Northern hives of Abolitionism, have perished beneath a Southern sun; rendering a similar melancholy fate for their illustrious hero. It is necessary to tell the people the name of the author; that they are the production of that man who is at war with their constitutional rights, and is the most implacable enemy of the South, and the tract and its trashy contents finds a home in the sewer, and sinks along with the memory of the incendiary author.

Meeting at the Court-House. There will be a meeting of the Democracy at the Court-House on WEDNESDAY night. Dr. Howard and Messrs. Pilcher and Kinkead will be present and address the meeting.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING--EIGHTH WARD.

Messrs. WHITELY and GRAVES will address the Democratic Pierce Club at their Room, (Wolfe's tavern) Main street, between Eleventh and Twelfth, south side, on Wednesday evening next. The citizens of the ward are invited to attend.

SPEAKING AT JEFFERSONVILLE.

A. P. Willard, Esq., democratic candidate for Lt. Governor of Indiana, will make a speech at Jeffersonville to the Democratic Pierce Club on Saturday night next.

Let the Democracy be ready—all are invited.

DEATH OF MR. WRIGHT.

Just as our paper was going to press we received intelligence of the death of Mr. John Wright, of the firm of D. & J. Wright & Co., stove and grates founders, &c., of this city. He died at a quarter past one o'clock this morning. The funeral takes place this afternoon, at half past three o'clock, from his late residence on Market between Seventh and Eighth. Want of time prevents us saying more at present.

The Courier of Monday, in one single paragraph contains several lies in relation to the splendid cake prepared by the ladies of the First ward. It is a deliberate attempt on the part of the "model editor" to cast a slur upon the patriotic ladies of the First, who, to whose efforts the democracy were largely indebted for "material aid" in getting up the barbecue, and who afterwards gave a large picnic party in Preston's wood.

The bodies of the three unfortunate persons who were drowned from the Lady Pike at Patriot, Ind., a few days ago have been recovered.

The Wilmington (N. C.) Journal says:—Stephens, of Georgia, came here last week and scored some of Scott's bad by giving as his opinion that Scott was not certain of more than one State—Vermont—and was bound to be the most badly beaten of any man that ever was started for the presidency. Stephens has always been looked upon as a very able calculator of political chances."

Good News from PENNSYLVANIA.—The able editor of the Philadelphia *Pennsylvanian* makes the following gratifying announcement in regard to our prospects in that State. It confirms all the other intelligence we have received from that State, and there can be no doubt, we think, that it is November next the "Keystone" State will reassume her ancient place in the democratic State.

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Mr. Chrisman, democratic, and Mr. Bramlett, whig editor for this district, spoke here at our last county court, and although it was the first political meeting which we had had this year, considerable interest was manifested on the occasion. While I will not attempt to depreciate the ability of my friend and neighbor, Mr. B. Bramlett, I must say, and the whole audience will sustain me, that he has been a good editor, who has done well for the people of this town.

And I will vote for Pierce. I know him as a sound national—conservative—man. He belongs not to the party with which I have all my life been associated, but I have closely scanned his public life, and I admire it. I have read his public speeches and his public letters, with an admiration which I cannot resist of the lofty patriotism by which they are distinguished. I would be as proud to be author of his letter to Major Lally, and of his speech on Mr. Calhoun's resolutions, as of Washington's Farewell Address. I owe him, for these things the gratitude of my vote, and I will pay the debt.

I believe he is the instrument destined to crush that northern fanaticism, which, having bought a portion of the southern whig party with promises of office, and thus sacrificed the patriot Fillmore, would use the military reputation of a vain man in giving us "a higher law than the constitution."

As certainly, then, as that I have been always a whig and "an ultra whig"—as certainly as that Scott is the favorite candidate of the anti-compromise whigs of the north—so certainly will I vote against Scott and for Pierce.

Democratic Meeting.

At a meeting of the democracy of Trimble county, in Belpoint, Ky., on the 25th of September, for the purpose of sending delegates to the Lagrange convention on the 2d of October, John W. Stewart was chosen to the chair, and A. J. Wright appointed Secretary.

A motion of S. Gatewood to draft resolutions for the convention, who reported the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we approve of the propriety of holding a district convention at Lagrange on the 2d of October.

Resolved, That in view of the flattering prospects of democracy in this district, we recommend harmony and concert of action, as a means of success, and in order to insure the same, we will waive all personal preferences, and give our support to the man best calculated to unite our strength, and lead our forces on to victory.

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